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# Optical/Near-Infrared multi-Resolution Spectrograph\*

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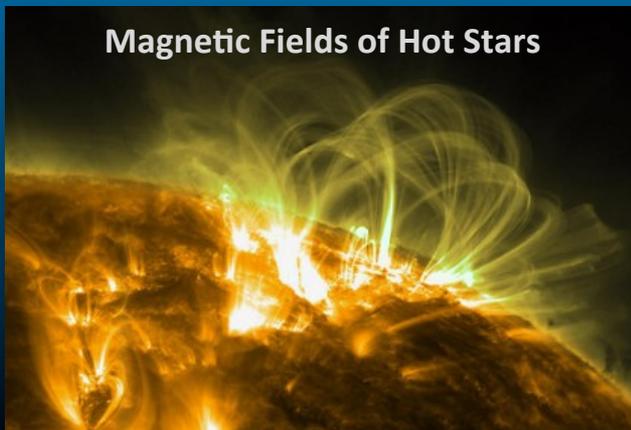
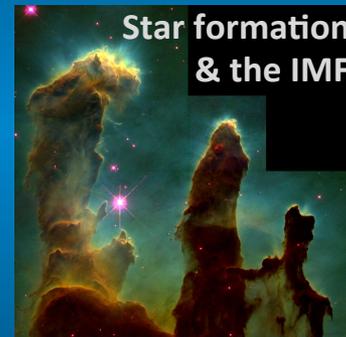
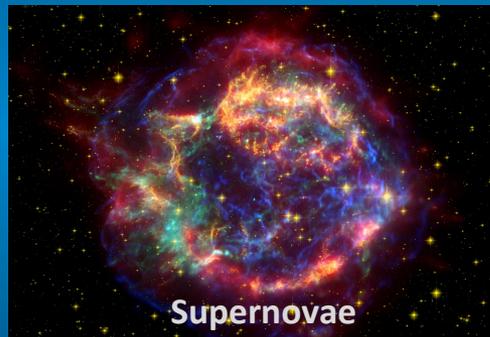
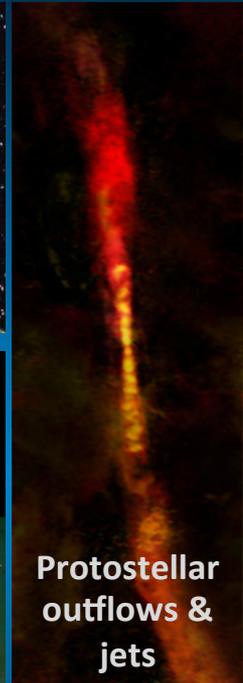
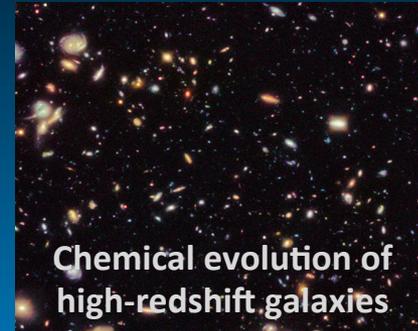
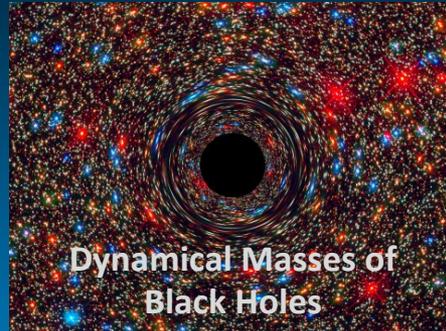
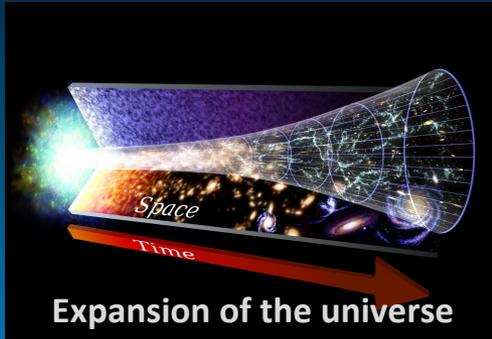
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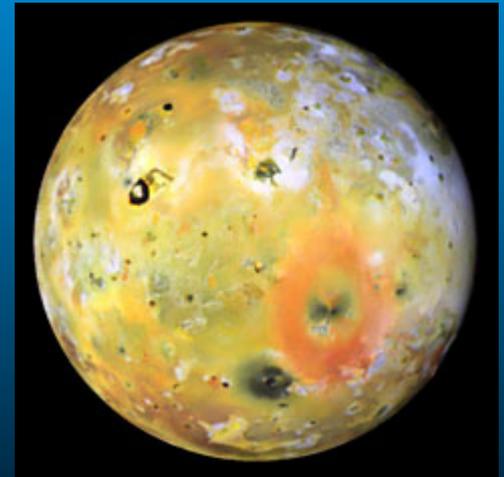
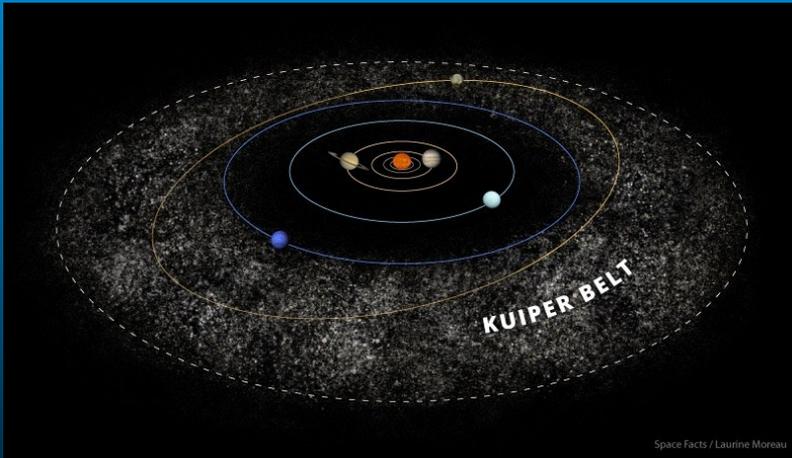
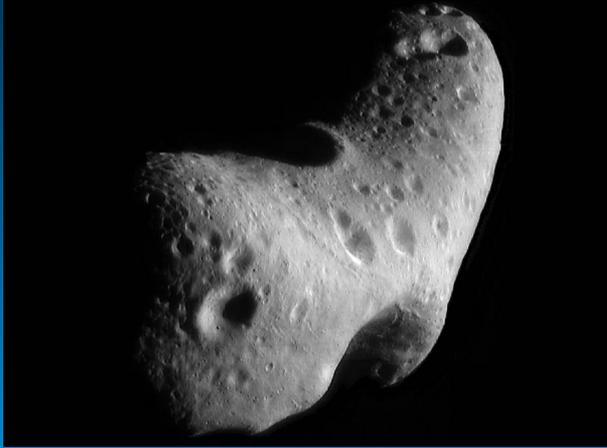
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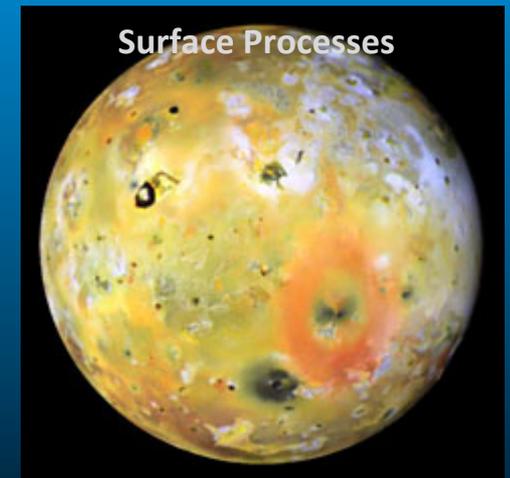
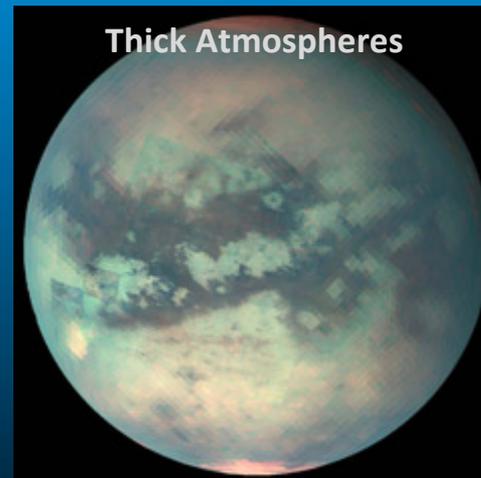
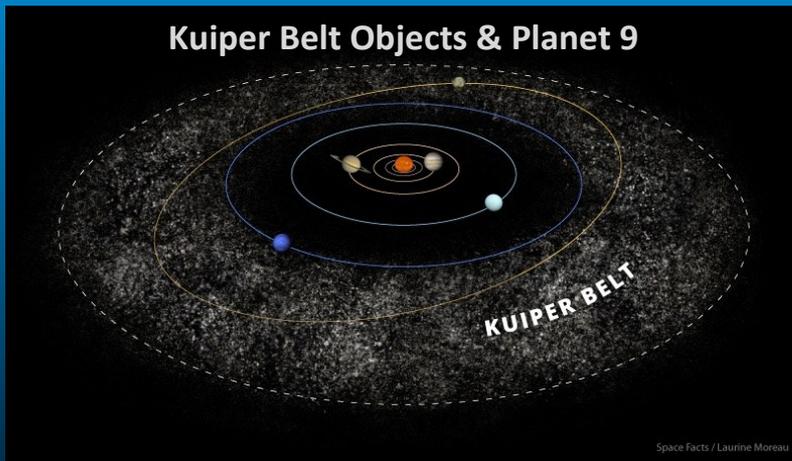
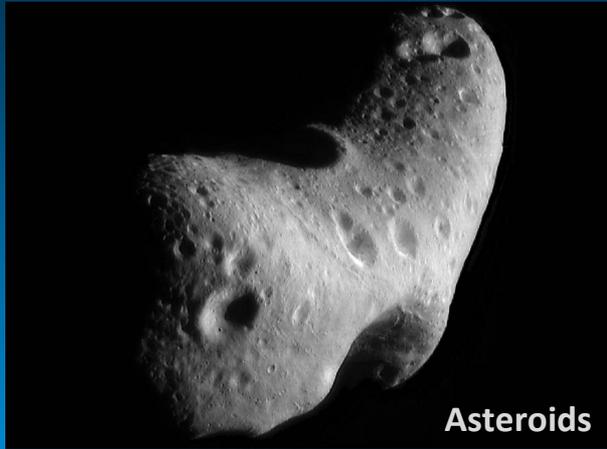
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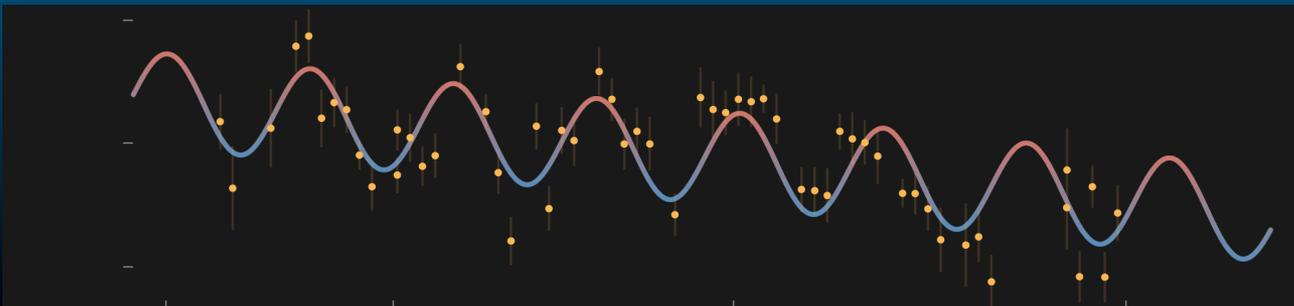
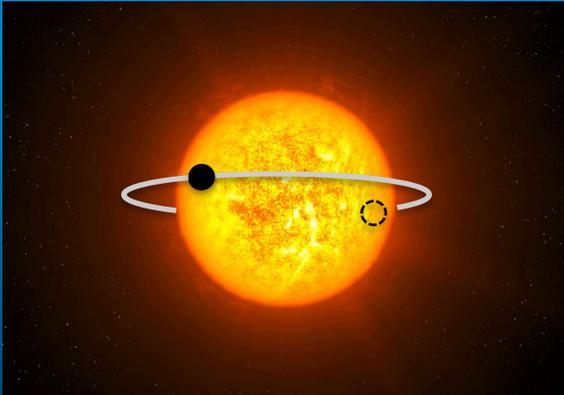
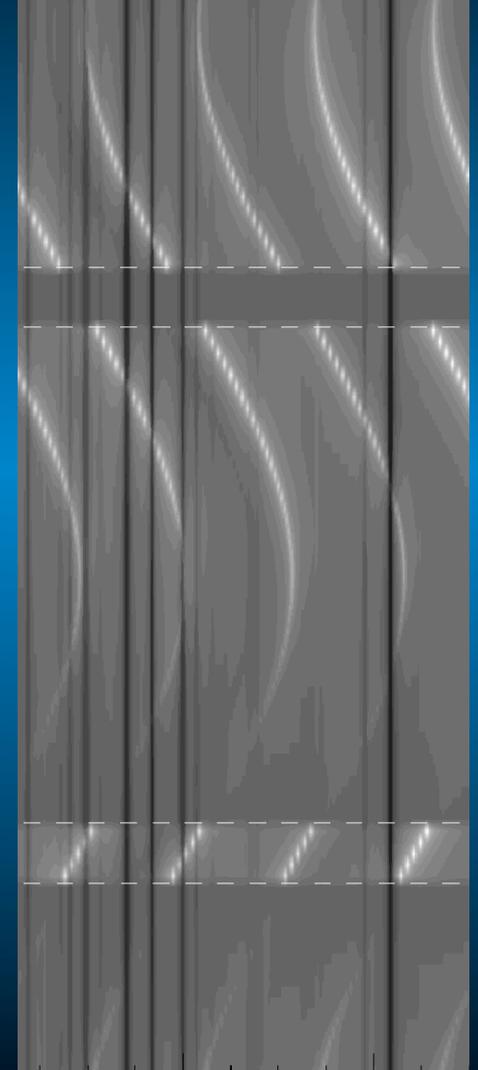
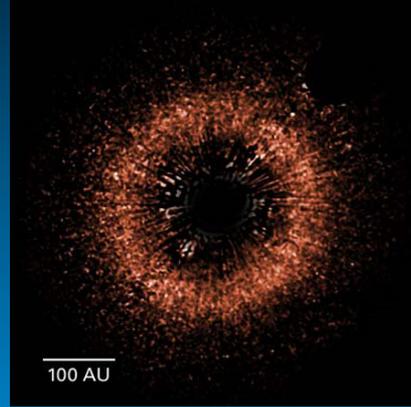
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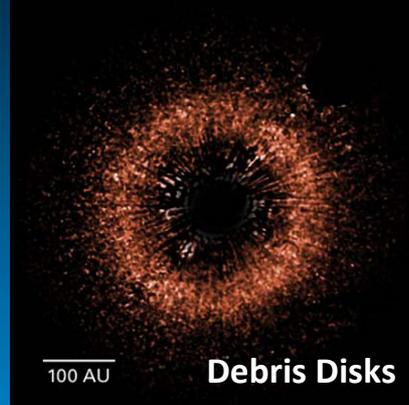
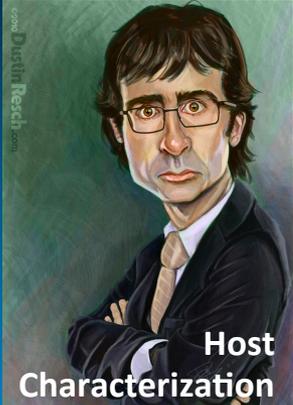
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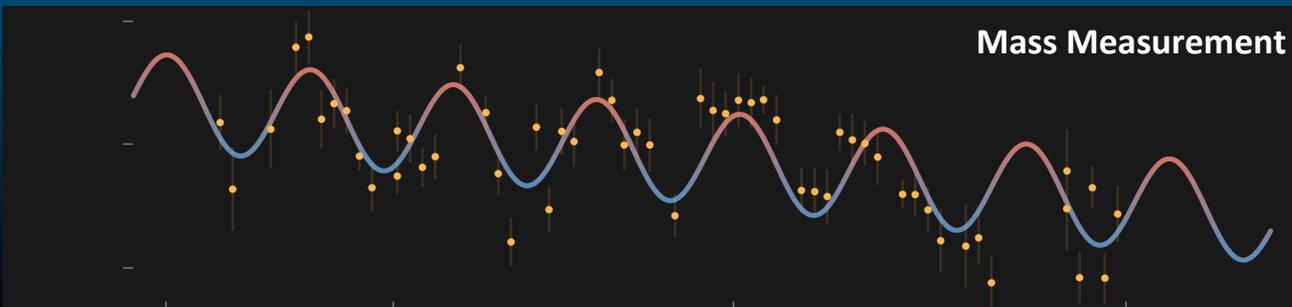
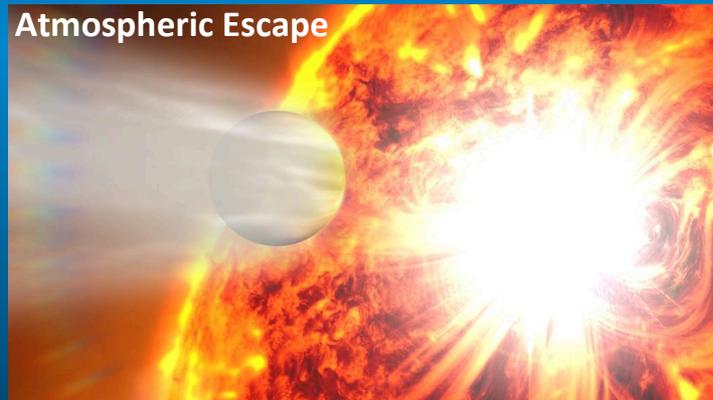
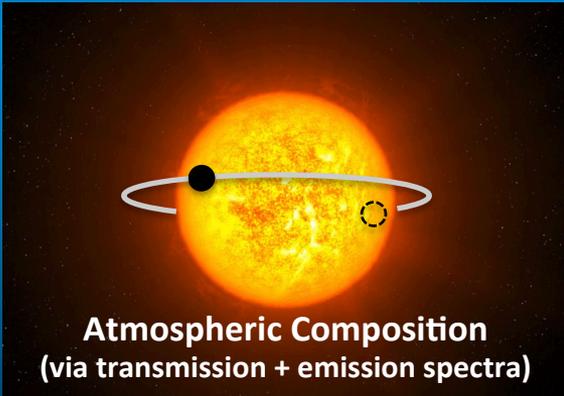
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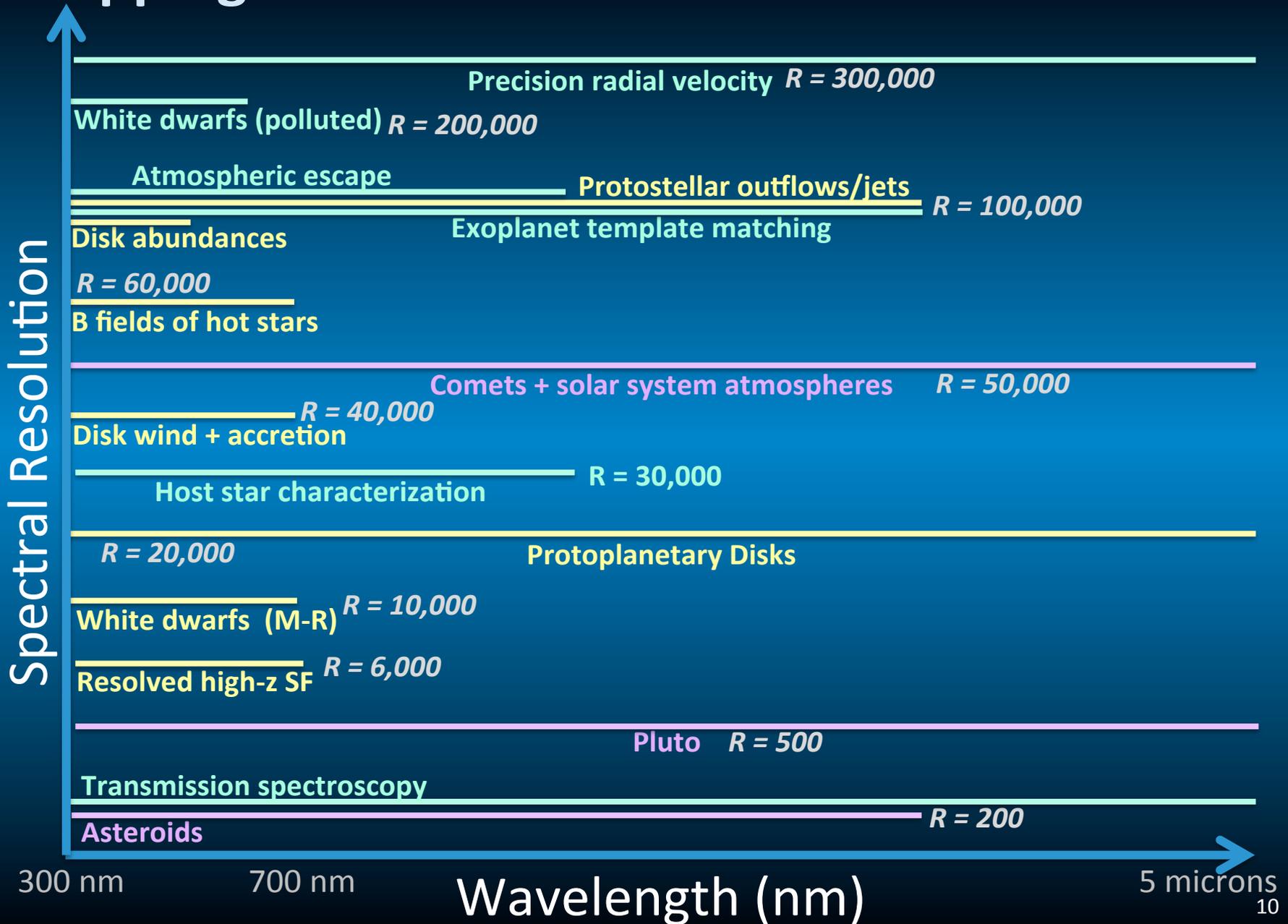
Atmospheric Composition  
(via template matching)



# Desired Spectral Resolution Range

- **Low:**
  - Exoplanet transmission spectra ( $R = 200$ )
  - Pluto surface characterization ( $R = 500$ )
- **Medium:**
  - White dwarf mass/radius relation ( $R = 10,000$ )
  - Protoplanetary & debris disks ( $R = 20,000 - 30,000$ )
  - Host star characterization ( $R = 30,000$ )
- **High:**
  - Expansion of the universe ( $R = 100,000$ )
  - Template matching ( $R = 100,000$ )
  - Radial velocity mass measurements ( $R = 300,000$ )

# Mapping Science Cases to Instrument Parameters



# Desired Fields of View for Spatially Resolved Observations

- **Small:**
  - 20'' (gas in debris disks)
  - 30'' (protostellar outflows/jets)
- **Medium**
  - 2' x 2' (disk wind & mass accretion)
  - 1' - 2' (SF & IMF)
- **Large**
  - 2' – 5' (comets; but IFU over smaller area = OK)
  - 10' (high-redshift galaxies)

# Desired Spatial Resolution

- **High**
  - 0.008" (solar system atmospheres)
  - 0.01" (disk wind + mass accretion; protostellar outflows/jets)
- **Low – Medium**
  - 0.1" (high-redshift galaxies)
  - 0.7" – 7" (protoplanetary disks)

# Special Considerations

- **Coupled to coronagraph:**
  - Exoplanet atmospheres via template matching
  - Black hole mass measurements (contrast required?)
- **Coupled to polarimeter:**
  - Magnetic fields of hot stars
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# Initial Instrument Parameters

- **Wavelength range:**
  - Blue limit: 300 nm (at least as blue as LUMOS cutoff)
  - Red limit: 5 microns (as red as possible)
  - Simultaneous coverage of broad bandpass
- **Spectral Resolution:**
  - Low:  $R = 100 - 500$
  - Medium:  $R = 5,000 - 50,000$
  - High:  $R = 100,000 - 300,000$
- **Spatial Resolution: 0.01''**
- **Field of view: 2' x 2' ???**
- IFU + fixed slits

# Questions for the LUVOIR STDT

- Are there other science cases requiring lower or higher resolution?
- How wide of a field of view do you need?
- What would you like to do with O/NIRS that you cannot do with other instruments?

# O/NIRS Current Accomplishments

- Established science case for template matching (Thanks to Matteo Brogi, Jayne Birkby, & Ji Wang!)
- Merged multiple science cases into a coherent “wish list” of instrument parameters
- Consulted community precision radial velocity experts for perspectives on instrument design

# O/NIRS Ongoing Work

- **Recruiting** more **COR & Solar System** members
- **Reviewing designs** for other near-infrared spectrographs & assessing lessons learned
- **Running simulations** to determine impact of design choices on instrument performance
  - Geronimo Villanueva's online instrument simulator
  - Chas Beichman's precision radial velocity code
- **Brainstorming** better instrument **names**

# Summary: multi-resolution Optical/Near InfraRed Spectrograph

- Flexible instrument enabling a wide range of LUVOIR science (COR, EXO, & Solar System)
  - **Broad wavelength** coverage: 300 nm – 5 microns
  - **Variable resolution**:  $R = 100 - 300,000$
  - **IFU** and **slit spectroscopy** capabilities
- Technology Needs
  - Large IFU with broad wavelength coverage (fiber bundles?)
  - High-efficiency, low read-noise detectors
  - Space-based laser comb (for high-precision radial velocity)

**ADDITIONAL SLIDES**

# Requirements for Template Matching

(from science case written by Brogi & Birkby)

**HDS+HDI requirement table**

Observation Requirement	Major Progress	Substantial Progress	Incremental Progress
<b>Wavelengths</b>	0.3-2.4 $\mu\text{m}$	0.3-2.0 $\mu\text{m}$	0.7-1.5 $\mu\text{m}$
<b>Spatial resolution</b>	$\lambda/D$	$2\lambda/D$	$3\lambda/D$
<b>Spectral resolution</b>	$R=100,000+$	$R=50,000$	$R=50,000$
<b>Field-of-view</b>	Enough for HZ of alpha Cen and Jupiter analog at 10 pc	Enough for HZ of alpha Cen	Enough for HZ of closest early K-dwarfs / late G-dwarfs
<b>Contrast</b>	1e-7 HCI 1e-6 HDS	1e-6 HCI 1e-5 HDS	1e-5 HCI 1e-5 HDS
<b>Telescope aperture</b>	16m	12m	8m
<b>HCI-HDS coupling</b>	Full IFU	Configurable IFU	Fiber on planet
<b>Exposure time</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A

# *Science Goals: Cosmic Origins*

- Expansion of the universe
- Black Holes (dynamical masses)
- High-redshift galaxies (chemical evolution)
- First Quasars (inflows/outflows between galaxies & circumgalactic medium)
- Supernovae (progenitors, formation sites, very early/late observations)
- Star formation & the initial mass function
- Magnetic fields of hot stars
- White dwarfs (mass/radius relation)
- Protoplanetary disks (abundances, winds, & mass accretion)
- Protostellar outflows/jets

# *Science Goals: Solar System*

- Geology & Surface Processes
- Comets
- Thick Solar System Atmospheres
- Asteroids

# *Science Goals: Exoplanets*

- Host star characterization
- Polluted white dwarfs
- Debris disks (map gas & determine composition)
- Exoplanet atmospheric composition (via transmission + emission spectra)
- Exoplanet atmospheric escape (via transmission spectra)
- Exoplanet atmospheric composition (via template matching)
- Exoplanet mass measurements (via precision radial velocity)